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Sir:

Applicant(s) filed an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) on August 7, 2003. A copy of the IDS is attached hereto.

Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) that the Examiner return a copy of the Form PTO-1449 that accompanies the IDS, marked to indicate that the references listed therein have been considered by the Office.

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner has any questions concerning this Request.

Respectfully submitted,

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In compliance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicant calls to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the reference listed on the attached PTO-1449.

A copy of the reference is enclosed herewith.

In the event there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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